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Via ECFS
Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20554

**Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to
47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1**

Dear FCC,

Please stop and think about the people that would be affected. is this another greed thing. I'm retired and live on a budget , with competition involved, especially in the Columbia gorge, it makes companies work harder to keep customers happy and to help keep our costs down. the big compaies dont care, except for the cost of there product. in our town, there's several gorge net people who live here, are friendly about the questions you ask them. dont allow this to happen. thank you.

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